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Sent: 10/20/2021 6:36:35 PM
To: Lara, Rhina [Lara.Rhina@epa.gov]
CC: Britten, Anthony [Britten.Anthony@epa.gov]; Leifer, Kerry [Leifer.Kerry@epa.gov]; Echeverria, Marietta [Echeverria.Marietta@epa.gov]; Rosenblatt, Daniel [Rosenblatt.Dan@epa.gov]
Subject: Re: (Tony) PPLS Question, DDL 10/19 10 AM

Looks good to me. Thanks, all.

Best,
Catherine
Associate Director
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On Oct 20, 2021, at 2:27 PM, Lara, Rhina <Lara.Rhina@epa.gov> wrote:

Thank you, Tony. Would this work as a response for the reporter? I can also run this by BEAD.

Question: Ed said he could provide a tally of active ingredients approved for use in combating mosquitoes. I thought he said there was also a PPLS database listing all the products and their uses. I see a Pesticide Product and Label System database, but it seems to be set up only to look for one product, company or chemical at a time. Is there a tally or some way to get one of how many different products have been approved or are on the market for controlling mosquitoes?

Response: The National Pesticide Information Center's (NPIC) [Product Research Online \(NPRO\)](#) database can be used to research pesticide product information including active ingredients, pests, and use sites.

Best,
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From: Britten, Anthony <Britten.Anthony@epa.gov>
Sent: Wednesday, October 20, 2021 1:39 PM
To: Aubee, Catherine <Aubee.Catherine@epa.gov>; Lara, Rhina <Lara.Rhina@epa.gov>; Leifer, Kerry <Leifer.Kerry@epa.gov>; Echeverria, Marietta <Echeverria.Marietta@epa.gov>; Rosenblatt, Daniel <Rosenblatt.Dan@epa.gov>
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Rhina, sorry – I see you cited NPIC already in your last email, but that's the only system I'm aware of. ☐

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Hope Johnson may have more info.

From: Britten, Anthony
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Here's the link to a database (NPRO) administered by NPIC, and a screenshot of the relevant tab. This information is fed by OPPIN. I'll defer to ITRMD or BEAD for an official take re: the quality of the info for pests and use sites. At the staff level, I'd contact someone like Claire Paisley-Jones. Just let me know if you'd like me to reach out to them.

<http://npic.orst.edu/NPRO/>

Note that you can / probably should select multiple pests using keyword "mosquito", though it seems to require retyping the keyword each time. Clicking the Guide tab however will give the correct, detailed instructions and a contact link.

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From: Aubee, Catherine <Aubee.Catherine@epa.gov>
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Excellent - thanks, Tony.

Best,
Catherine
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On Oct 20, 2021, at 1:10 PM, Britten, Anthony <Britten.Anthony@epa.gov> wrote:

Hi Catherine, sorry for the delay – yes, NPIC does. I'll send you all some links within next 30 minutes, thanks. Tony

From: Aubee, Catherine <Aubee.Catherine@epa.gov>
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Hi Tony,

Any thoughts? Does NPIC provide this search capability via their portal?

Best,
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On Oct 20, 2021, at 12:41 PM, Lara, Rhina <Lara.Rhina@epa.gov> wrote:

Hi,

Sorry to press, but we are hoping to get these answers for OPP IO review by COB. I did see a note from Tim Carrol in our draft doc that stated: (

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So maybe this isn't something we can really do at this time?

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Cc: Leifer, Kerry <Leifer.Kerry@epa.gov>
Subject: RE: PPLS Question, DDL 10/19 10 AM

Hi Tony,

Could you provide guidance on how a member of the public can search for products with specific, approved target pests, e.g., mosquitoes?

Best,
Catherine

From: Lara, Rhina <Lara.Rhina@epa.gov>
Sent: Tuesday, October 19, 2021 11:33 AM
To: Aubee, Catherine <Aubee.Catherine@epa.gov>

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Subject: RE: PPLS Question, DDL 10/19 10 AM
Importance: High

Hi Catherine and Kerry,

Just checking on this inquiry and whether you have any insight on how we could respond.

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From: Lara, Rhina
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Cc: Leifer, Kerry <Leifer.Kerry@epa.gov>
Subject: PPLS Question, DDL 10/19 10 AM
Importance: High

Hi Catherine and Kerry,

Ed and Kimberly recently had an interview regarding PFAS in pesticide containers with Tim Wheeler from the Bay Journal. They discussed the recent announcement regarding the new oily method and Permanone results. Tim sent some follow-up questions and I believe you might be able to help me with the following question regarding PPLS and aduaticides. We are on a tight deadline with these, so please let us know if there is a way we can tally these products as soon as possible. Thank you!

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